

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA
POSTAL REGULATORY COMMISSION
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20268-0001

Notice of Market-Dominant
Price Adjustment

Docket No. R2013-1

CHAIRMAN'S INFORMATION REQUEST NO. 7

(Issued November 5, 2012)

To clarify the basis of the Postal Service's estimates in its Notice of Market-Dominant Price Adjustment (Notice) the Postal Service is requested to provide written responses to the following questions. Answers should be provided to individual questions as soon as they are developed, but no later than November 7, 2012.

Periodicals

1. Please refer to the Notice at 6. Tables 3 and 4 show that the Docket No. R2013-1 planned price change for Periodicals is 2.560%, creating 0.010 percentage points of unused pricing authority. Please refer to the attached price cap calculation spreadsheet, which links the Hybrid Year Billing Determinants with the Docket No. R2013-1 planned prices. Please confirm that the Docket No. R2013-1 planned price change for Periodicals yields a price increase of 2.549%, creating 0.021 percentage points of unused pricing authority. If not confirmed, please explain.
2. Please refer to the Notice, Attachment A at 58, section 1310.6e, which states that the editorial adjustment is \$0.00101 for each 1 percent of editorial content. Please confirm that the Docket No. R2013-1 planned editorial adjustment is \$0.00104 for each 1 percent of editorial content, per CAPCALC-PER-R2013.xls tab "Outside County" cell H58. If not confirmed, please explain.

By the Chairman.

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